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POINTS OF THIS MORNING'S NEWS

IN THE SENATE  
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TODAY'S BULLETIN—AUGUST, 23 1893.

(BY TELEGRAPH) Senator Voorhees makes a great speech on his bill....Western governors polled as to commercial division of the country....The Italian riots continue....France's separation satisfactory....Millionaires cause a bloody affair in Pennsylvania....A tramp attacks the wife of a mining superintendent near Redding....A Chinese cook shoots a tramp....A \$39,000 fire at Winlock, Wash....Latest advices from the Hawaiian Islands....Opening of the circuit races at Santa Barbara....Vessels wrecked by a storm off Halifax....The farmers' encampment considers the financial topic....China's threat if the Geary law is not repealed.

NOTABLE LOCAL OCCURRENCES.

Strong evidence for the prosecution in the Young murder trial—the missing link secured....Heavy suit against the Bradbury estate....Second day of the tennis tournament at Santa Monica....Rousing meeting at the Salvation Army barracks....The financial situation discussed by Ex-Gov. Lionel A. Sheldon before the Union League....Meeting of the Executive Committee of the orange-growers.

GENERAL.

A young swindler's operations in Santa Ana....The vine disease in Orange county....Commencement of hydraulic mining in San Bernardino county....A Pomona commission merchant gives his views....The Riverside assessment.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

For Southern California: Fair weather; warmer; westerly winds.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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## A TRAMP'S ASSAULT.

## Outrageous Affair Near Redding.

## The Wife of a Mining Superintendent Attacked.

## She Makes Her Escape After a Hard Battle.

## A Chinese Cook Shoots a Tramp—A Roomer and a Burglar Wound Each Other.

Warning to Gamblers at Nevada City.

By Telegraph to The Times.

REDDING, Aug. 22.—(By the Associated Press) About 1 o'clock today, Mrs. J. J. Kameen, wife of the superintendent of the Hidden Treasure mine, near Iron Mountain, was returning from Shasta, where she had been, getting money, which she expected, but did not receive, when a tramp jumped out from the bushes, in sight of the mine, stopped her horse and seized her, dragging her out of the buggy and demanding money. She resisted, and quite an encounter took place.

Mrs. Kameen is a large, fine-looking woman, but proved no match for the robber, who hit her with his fist and almost tore her clothes from her body, severely injuring her. He then took what money she had, also a gold watch, and, leaving her prostrate, got into the buggy and drove toward Shasta a short distance, then unhitched the horse and rode to the Welsh place, two miles from Shasta, where he tied the horse and took to the brush.

Mrs. Kameen managed to get to the mine, where her story was told, and a telephone message was sent here for medical assistance. Sheriff Ross and Constable Searing immediately went out in search of the robber, and the woods are full of miners, so that if he escapes it will be a wonder. The officers have a good description of him. Mrs. Kameen is the same lady who was attacked by a lion not long since, while riding home from Shasta.

Later.—From additional reports it appears that the assault on Mrs. Kameen was not for the purpose of robbery, but that the tramp intended to commit a cruel and cold-blooded attack almost off and beating her. Being a large, powerful woman, she succeeded in frustrating his purpose. When he left her she ran two miles to a water-tank near the mine, where she fainted. Those who met her were shocked at a distance came to her relief.

The tramp is supposed to be a fellow who tried to get work at the mine a few days before, but failed. Great excitement prevails, and if he is caught he will certainly be lynched.

## THE CANTEEN.

## It Will Figure in a Naval Court of Inquiry.

VALLEJO, Aug. 22.—(By the Associated Press) The court of inquiry instituted at Mare Island Navy-yard for the purpose of inquiring into the charges and counter charges preferred by Maj. Henry Bartlett, commandant of the marine barracks, and Capt. Henry Corcoran of the marine corps against each other, has commenced taking testimony in the case.

The barracks bar-room, or canteen, will figure in the evidence, and the return petition for a naval court of inquiry of the enlisted men at the barracks for its abolition will probably be advanced.

## BUSINESS HOUSES BURNED.

## A Fire at Winlock, Wash., Does Considerable Damage.

WINLOCK (Wash.) Aug. 22.—(By the Associated Press) Fire last night destroyed the Traders' Bank, Whistler &amp; Phillips' cigar store, Whistler's barbershop, J. F. Fowler's general merchandise store and residence, the Winlock Hotel, Eddy's drug store, Central Hotel, Hadley &amp; Griffith's general merchandise store, H. C. Griffin's meat market. The loss is \$25,000 with but very little insurance. The fire is supposed to be of incendiary origin.

## EXCHANGED SHOTS.

## A Roomer Finds a Burglar Underneath His Bed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 22.—(By the Associated Press) George Upson, who lives on Howard street, discovered a burglar under his bed this morning. He took a shot at the intruder, wounded him in the cheek. The burglar, whose name is Miller, returned the fire, shooting Upson through the breast and arm. Miller was arrested and taken to jail and Upson was taken to the receiving hospital. Neither man's wounds are fatal.

## SHOT THE TRAMP.

## A Chinese Cook Whom Objected to Being Stopped.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 22.—(By the Associated Press) This morning, on the Gerber ranch, a tramp named William McEvoy became involved in a quarrel with Ah Yip, a Chinese servant, and hurled a rock at him. The Chinaman picked up a shotgun and fired. The lad struck the tramp, but did not inflict a dangerous wound. The Chinaman was arrested and placed in the County jail.

## QUIET BUT EFFECTIVE.

## Anti-Chinese Sentiment in Huron Disposes of the Coolies.

HURON, Aug. 22.—(By the Associated Press) The citizens of this place held a quiet and effective anti-Chinese meeting yesterday. Twenty-four Chinese left on the train this morning for Leavenworth, leaving but three Chinamen in town, one a cook, and two section laborers, whose places will be filled with white labor in a few days.

## The Cherokee Strip.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—The President has issued a proclamation opening the Cherokee strip to settlement at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, central standard time, Saturday, September 16.

## The Hanford Fire.

HANFORD, Aug. 22.—The fire last night, which destroyed Simon Manassas &amp; Co.'s mercantile establishment, caused a loss of \$40,000, which was covered by insurance.

## FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

The Nevada City Sheriff and City Marshal have given warning through the newspapers that no gambling whatever will be tolerated during next week's fair.

At Weir City, Kan., strikers made an attack on a negro miner, because he had a revolver in his pocket. A number of shots were exchanged, but the negro escaped to the stockade. The strikers are armed.

New York Anarchists are busily engaged trying to get up noisy meetings and make trouble among workmen. Yesterday they started to hold a meet-

ing, and were dispersed by the police. Among the leaders is Emma Goldman. It is an anarchist, Max H. Morris, of Chicago, who is about to again take unto himself a bride, Miss Annie Howard of New Orleans, who is said to be worth about \$3,000,000. Miss Howard is about 30 years of age. Mayor Harrison is 68 years old, and this will be the third time he has gone through the marriage ceremony.

Swift Douglas of Nevada City has received a dispatch from the Sheriff at Springfield, Mo., notifying him of the arrest there of George Stewart, suspected of killing Fred Ford, a sixteen-year-old girl, near Grass Valley, in June, 1889. Stewart says he is willing to come back as he is innocent.

The Evansville and Terre Haute monthly race brought the men at Terre Haute in play, and the horses were continuing to race. The men tried to discount the checks in the banks and with merchants, but in most cases failed. The switchmen struck, as a result, and all freight is at a standstill. A meeting of trainmen is being held to consider the matter.

A meeting of the citizens' mass-meeting at Pittsburgh, Kan., thirty armed deputies made up from the best citizens of Pittsburg, led by a deputy sheriff, went to Frontenac yesterday to protect the men who signed the petition and wanted to go to work for the Santa Fe Company. Soon afterward President Walters of the Miners' Union and about four hundred men marched out to the shaft to intercept the workmen, but were headed off.

## IMPRUDENT MILITIA.

## Fatal Outcome of a Railway Company's Action.

Track Torn Up Because of a Violation of Ordinances—Two Men Killed and Five Wounded—The Leader is in Jail.

By Telegraph to The Times.

GILBERTON (Pa.), Aug. 22.—(By the Associated Press) The tearing up of the Schuylkill Traction Company's tracks here last night, by the borough officials, because of a violation of the ordinances, resulted most disastrously. When the company officials heard of it, they sent a force of men to effect a settlement. When the break in the road was reached, President Jones of the traction company, with Richard Amour of Shadown, chief of the company's police, got off the car, and after a few minutes, effected a settlement, and the work of tearing up was stopped.

In the car were a number of men taken on at Girardville, members of the National Guard, who had with them rifles belonging to the company. While the railway officials were engaged in conversing with the borough officers, some of the crowd taunted the men on board the car, and called out: "Where's the Girardville militia?"

John Briggs of Girardville stepped out, and saying, "Here we are," fired into the crowd, killing Richard Palfitt. Chief Amour and President Jones had settled the trouble, and Briggs shot over Amour's shoulder. This immediately enraged the people, and stones were thrown. The shots from the car became general, and for while the battle raged furiously. Chief Amour, while trying to stop the fight, was fatally shot by one of his men.

In addition to Palfitt, William Hughes, aged 19, of Gilberton, was killed; Richard Connors and Evan David were shot and fatally wounded; C. A. Durfee drove his black stallion, Ardent, and also Alcazar, the three-year-old, winning the two first heats. Ardent made his record of 2:30 in the second and third sets, but Hovey beat him in both.

## The Vigilant Won.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The yacht Vigilant today won the second Astor cup, having won the first a week ago. The only other entry today was the Pilgrim. The Vigilant won by 24 m. 38s. over a thirty-mile course.

## The Volunteer Off.

WOODSHOLL (Mass.), Aug. 22.—The Volunteer was pulled off the rocks today and towed here leaking badly. The amount of the damage is yet unknown.

## ARIZONA NEWS.

Three Damage Suits in One Town in One Week.

The Greaterville Gold Fields to Be Worked by Hydraulic Mining—Railroad Assessments Likely to Go to the Old Figure.

Special Correspondence of The Times.

TUCSON, Aug. 19.—Cochise county is decided in for damage suits. During the present week three have been filed, there two growing out of the late double Board of Supervisors squabble. The biggest is by Nat Hawke, clerk of the present board. He asks \$20,000 damages, sustained by reason of his forcible ejection from his office, of J. P. McAllister, James Reilly, W. D. Monmonier and A. Wentworth, the opposition board, who did the ejecting. Mr. Hawke asks an additional \$5000, likewise, due to "one of the opposition board." He claims the damage in part because the attorney against him did "insult, harass and brutally annoy him." The third suit is for \$10,000. That is the price set by Patrick Sheehy for a damaged collarbone.

The second division of the 2:50 trot was unfinished, but Irene Crocker, the favorite, a long-stepping gray mare, by Will Crocker, won two heats easily, and stands a good chance for the finishing heat on Wednesday afternoon.

The races on Wednesday are a five-mile bicycle handicap, a novelty running race, pacing for two-year-olds and trotting, 2:20 class, all of which promise to be interesting. Frank Malone is presiding judge, and S. P. Stow and T. P. Isard the other judges. G. W. Leland, A. W. Buell and J. S. Sanford are timers.

## SUMMARY.

Bicycle novice race, mile dash: W. Lewis Wadsworth fifth; C. V. Kelton second, J. M. Crawford third, Frank Simpson fourth, Lewis Wade fifth; time 2:53.

Three-fourths of a mile and repeat: Othello, Hock Hock—1 1/2 miles; P. Flinn, daughter, 1 1/2 miles; C. Cody in 1 1/2 miles; time 1:37 1/2.

Trotting, 2:23 class: Gossiper, b. s., by Simmons—1 1/2 miles; Mattie P. b. m. . . . .

Conn. b. s. . . . .

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Harry Winchester—1 1/2 miles; time 2:22 4/5—2:23 2:23.

First division of the 2:50 class: Peter W. b. h. . . . . 3 2 1 1 1

Ardeat, b. s. . . . . 1 1 2 2

Estelle, b. m. . . . . 2 3 3 5

Thomas Hysky—4 4 4 4 4

Bird Eagle, b. s. . . . . 5 5 5 4

Time 2:31 1/2—2:30—2:30 1/2—2:30 1/2.

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Harry Winchester—1 1/2 miles; time 2:22 4/5—2:23 2:23.

The second division of the 2:50 class was postponed until Wednesday.

MONMOUTH PARK, Aug. 22.—(By the Associated Press) The track was fast.

Seven furlongs: Grace Brown won, Espanita second, Shelly Tuttle third; time 1:28.

Five furlongs: Discount won, Barnes second, Alesia third; time 1:02 1/4.

Monmouth handicap, 1 1/4 miles: Gloomie won, The Pepper second, Pinckney third; time 2:02 1/2.

Five-mile division champion race—First trot, gold medal; second, silver medal; third, bronze medal.

One-mile division champion race—First trot, gold medal; second, silver medal.

One-mile club—First, bicycle suit; second, silk umbrella.

One-mile Pacific Coast championship.

Gold medal.

One-mile handicap—First, gold stopwatch; second, diamond—P. Flinn, Winchester rifle; second, silver watch.

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## Government Telegraphs in Germany.

Now that there is considerable talk in this country regarding government ownership and control of telegraphs and railroads, it is interesting to see how they work these things in Germany, where the government service has been brought to great perfection. Dr. Hofmeister, director of the German telegraph system, is visiting San Francisco, and has been telling a California reporter how they do things at home.

In Germany the mail, the telegraph and the telephone are combined in one department. Dr. von Stephan is at its head, and since his strong personality has been bent to this one end, that in the matter of intercommunication the people shall have a perfect service at the minimum of cost. His success has been wonderful. His theory is that effective service at low rates multiplies business. His slogan was "Reduce the tariff."

The charge for a ten-word message to any part of the empire is 12¢ per word. It is the same for five miles as for five hundred. For the telephone 25 cents is charged for five minutes' conversation, irrespective of distance. Individual subscribers are charged \$36 a year for the use of the telephone, and there is no charge for switches. At these low rates there is a handsome surplus every year, which is turned into the general treasury. The combination of the mail, telegraph and telephone system greatly reduces expenses in a small place, one man acting as postal clerk, telegraph operator and telephone manager.

One of the most striking features of the telegraph system in Germany is the fact that all wires are laid underground. Overhead wires were abolished long ago, not only in cities but throughout the empire. In place of them there are underground cables, containing seven hard-copper wires, constructed like submarine cables and incased in iron pipes like gas mains. Germany is one gigantic spiderweb of underground cables. Main lines radiate from Berlin to the outermost edges of the country, and these radiating lines are joined together at regular intervals. "Spiderweb" exactly describes the system. With this network under the earth no meteorological disturbance, however severe, can interfere with the perfect working of the wires from Berlin to any part of the realm. No invading army could "cut the wires" unless it dug trenches over the face of the empire.

When Dr. Hofmeister was asked to state the chief difference in the telegraphic service in his country and this he said it consisted in the fact that in Germany they did more for small towns and villages all over the empire. They have it arranged so that the smallest community has a service for letters, newspapers, packages, and money, also an efficient telegraph and telephone service. He thinks government control of the telegraph and telephone entirely applicable to the United States, and that we must come to it sooner or later.

## A Low-caste King.

It is funny how anxious the average independent American is to do homage to anyone bearing a title who happens to reach these shores. If the visitor happens to be a real live king, although his kingdom may be half the size of San Bernardino county, and he himself considerably "off color," the bowing and scraping and struggling for an audience, or for the honor of paying for the visitor's square meals, becomes almost painful. Take, for instance, that dusky potentate, the Maharajah of Kapurthala, who, with his retinue, has been taking up a large amount of space at the World's Fair and in the columns of the newspapers, which describe with reverent awe the habits and customs of this big Hindoo bug and his opinions on every subsidiary subject, from chowder to Christianity. And now it appears, after all, that this great man is of low caste in his native land. In that benighted country money and an abundance of wives and jewelry cut no figure when it comes to a question of caste, the laws of which are like those of the Medes and Persians. It is said that should the Maharajah chance to visit some of the side shows at the World's Fair he would have to salute to several of the Hindoos who are charming snakes or making jewelry. The Maharajah apparently does not belong to the "four hundred" of his native land, but that is not likely to dampen the enthusiasm of American worshippers of titles.

Mr. Cooper of Indiana has been appointed chairman of the Committee on Irrigation of Arid Lands. The arid lands of Indiana are somewhat limited in area, and it is to be hoped that Mr. Cooper knows more about the subject than most of the citizens of that State.

The recent disturbance in Siam reveals the fact that there are American interests in that country. It seems there is a street car line in Bangkok constructed with American capital and operated by American citizens. Uncle Sam's boys are universal.

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descendant of lawyers who have held the same position for several generations. These lawyers know little more of practical business affairs than do their patrons, and consequently have to rely to a great extent upon the advice of bankers and others, which is not always entirely disinterested. Then there is another class of half-pay officers and retired civil servants, who manage to keep up an air of gentility upon the interest of their savings. Such men fall an easy prey to the glib-tongued promoter, when he offers them a rate of interest which, to English eyes, appears immense.

Every time that English investors get badly hit, as they have been during the past couple of years, there is, of course, a temporary disinclination to branch out, but so enormous is the amount of superfluous British capital which is forced to seek an outlet that it is never very long before the golden stream is again flowing from the little island to the uttermost parts of the earth—building railroads in Asia, operating gas works in South America, and developing gold mines in California. It is popular just now to howl about the influence of British gold, but British gold is a very useful thing to have the use of sometimes.

## An Honest Dollar.

Congressman Bryan of Nebraska is reported to have said in a recent speech:

"They tell about an honest dollar, but I tell you there never was an honest dollar. It would have to be one that always had the same purchasing power, and that is quite impossible to fix. Whoever talks of an honest dollar is an ignoramus or a fool."

Commenting upon this remark, an Eastern contemporary very properly says:

"It strikes us that is an unwise utterance from the lips of a professed friend of silver coinage. The man who wants any other than an honest standard or measure of value is an ignoramus or knave. We have been striving to secure an honest, abundant, and stable currency, and the interests of producers and consumers, creditors and debtors alike may be concerned. And the honest and intelligent advocate of bimetallism does not for a moment allow that the silver dollar, bearing the national stamp, is not as good, honest and serviceable as its golden competitor. The bulk of the exchanges of the country will always be made by checks, drafts, or other paper representatives of value, but as a basis thereof the previous metals have a place, and service to do. Its golden competitor, the dollar, bears the national stamp, and the nation should be pledged to maintain the honesty and parity of its dual coinage."

But we are young yet, it is urged, and we have hardly had time for these things. Chicago has seen almost half a century of years, while Los Angeles—the modern Los Angeles, has hardly more than passed her first decade. That is true, but we have everything here, save the necessary push and energy, for making a fair beginning in this direction. In art, we have some as promising talent as may be found in Chicago even—talent that has won for itself recognition abroad and a name that is honorable. For a museum, what a storehouse of treasures does California offer, in her relics of other days, of her old missions and the races that are passing. In parks and gardens how soon we might surpass in our wealth of horticultural variety and beauty the most famous parks of the East. Our air is sunshine, our very atmosphere is one of growth, and there is scarcely any soil so unproductive that at the touch of water it would not burst into a redundancy of beauty.

What is needed is a greater public interest in those things of general moment, and an enthusiastic leadership that will start us on the way toward greater public improvements.

Let it once be said that Los Angeles has one of the finest parks in the country, as she easily may have; a grand gallery filled, not only with the best works of our most talented local artists, but pictures and sculpture from the best artists of America, and a fine museum, whose treasures tell the story of our past, throwing light upon our written and unwritten history, making of it a grand and thrilling page for the antiquarian and the simple student of today to read, how much larger would be the throng that would be attracted here, when the annual fitting begins at the East.

A correspondent who has had much experience in Wall street attributes the present financial stringency to the action of a gigantic clique in that nest of gamblers, which he believes has "rigged" the market in order to profit by the high rates of interest and the decline in stocks. The speculative features of the money market have assumed such gigantic and far-reaching phases during the past few years that nothing in this line would surprise the stock market. Such gamblers and wreckers, who unsettle values, are enemies alike of the capitalist, manufacturer, farmer and workingman.

Times in Kansas are so hard that the people are curtailing their religious expenses. The town of Ashland, that State, has seven ministers, and recently resolved to dispense with the services of six of them. A vote was taken on the question of which one was to be retained, and the Methodist won, the other six being discharged. Other towns are preparing to do the same thing. This is Christian unity with a heresies, and no mistake.

The silly season is evidently on. Now comes the agile Mrs. Eliot Arizona, who ran for Mayor of that town last spring, who declares she will capture the Kansas State Republican Convention "if she has to wade in blood up to her ears." And then the sight of a mouse would make Eliot climb a chair, and again show her agility.

It is reported from Washington that Delegate Marcus Smith of Arizona is seriously ill with typhoid fever. Mark, who is "one of the boys," has held the position of delegate at Washington so long that he has almost come to be regarded as a permanent. He is supposed to have a first call on the Senate, when Arizona shall be admitted as a State.

The Democratic candidate for Governor of Ohio comes as near having his "tongue hung in the center" as any orator in the State. There was never a better time to let it revolve. He will find a lot of things that Ohio voters will want explained before his funeral services are reached.

The rule under the present administration seems to be to refuse pensions, and to cut off those already granted whenever an excuse can be found for doing so. There is no love in the hearts of this administration for the old soldiers who saved the life of the nation.

Keep your money moving. If you owe anything pay your debts instead of hoarding. If everyone would do this financial stress would soon be easier.

In view of a jury's verdict yesterday, it may be safer hereafter for people hiring livery stable horses to take a witness or two with them.

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[Amusement Record.]  
AT THE PLAYHOUSES.

## T. S. C. LOWE.

## The First to Make a Long Trip by Balloon.

The First Prisoner of the War—First Man to Witness a Battle from a Balloon—First Man to Scale the Mountains by Electricity.

More than thirty-two years ago, in the city of Newburyport, Mass., I took up a morning paper and read on a certain day in April, 1861, an aeronaut in Cincinnati had launched a balloon (with himself in it) at 4 a.m. and at 12 noon of the same day had landed in South Carolina. This was, up to that date, the longest aerial voyage ever made, and its incredible rapidity has never been surpassed. Furthermore, our bold balloonist had another honor which distinguished him among the men either directly or indirectly connected with "our late unpleasantness." He was the first prisoner made by the Confederates. Six days before his adventurous voyage Fort Sumter had fallen (the garrison not being kept as prisoners,) and as this young air navigator was from a "foreign country" inimical to the sovereign State of South Carolina, he suffered a short imprisonment. He had thus the honor of being the first of scores of thousands who were imprisoned in the Southern States after hostilities were declared. This distinction of first imprisonment belongs to T. S. C. Lowe, now of Pasadena.

This aeronautic achievement attracted the attention of President Lincoln, and as the daring young man was supposed to be an "Ohio man" (as mistakes he was from New Hampshire,) Secretary Seward called upon him to advise the position of the head of state to come to Washington to organize a balloon observation corps. The first Napoleon had ordered a few experiments in this line with the old fire balloons without success; but in 1861 was organized the first regular aeronautic observations scientifically and systematically entered upon for war purposes. T. S. C. Lowe was the first organizer and head of such a corps.

About the middle of July, 1862, I was in my old "stamping ground," the city of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, where the mail from the United States via England (we then had no direct steamer communication from South America) arrived, and in the American papers I read a dispatch to the effect that, at the conflict known as that of Fair Oaks, "during the whole of the battle of this morning Prof. Lowe's balloon was on exhibition to the public from an altitude of 2,000 feet." The New York Times, in the same issue, said that the "clique" was loaded up again with stocks, bought during the past few weeks, and want to see higher prices.

The New Fire Engine.

The new fire engine recently purchased by the city is nearly in readiness for use, with the exception of the fire grates, which are expected to arrive in a few days. The machine has a large amount of nickel finish, and presents an elegant appearance. The most modern appliances are included, among which is what is known as the relief valve. By means of this the nozzle at the end of the line of hose may be shut off at will, without the danger of thereby bursting any of the hose laid. As soon as the stop cock in the nozzle is turned off the sudden back pressure on the water closes the connection with the pump, so that the only pressure on the hose is the dead weight of the water in it.

## Two Insects.

Coroner Cates held an inquest at Garrett & Sampson's yesterday over the remains of the man found near Buena Vista street bridge on the night previous. The theory that he had been a Ventura man proved erroneous, and he was not able to be ascertained. The jury rendered a verdict of "murder."

The Coroner also held an inquest at Orr & Co's over the body of John Joseph O'Connor, the man who was run over by a train at Port Los Angeles last Sunday. The jury rendered a verdict of death by an attempt to board a train in motion, by what was purely an accident.

## DRESSY PROMENADERS.

(From Our Regular New York Fashion Correspondent.)

The wise girl gives up trying to chase fashion down every lane, the fleet-footed jade flits, and dashes off in a single step. She takes to one color and straightways becomes the raving of the less prudent girls. She accomplishes an individuality of toilet which the



utmost effort can secure in no other way, and she can spend as much or almost as little money as she chooses.

She is also fairly sure her maid will not wear her gowns, unless she wants the maid to sit in the hammock on the porch in the heat of summer.

While the Brazilians were

disengaged throughout the empire, their ruler was

but saw that heroic treatment

must be used. Greater numbers of

men, longer range cannon and iron

claws must be brought to the front.

More than that, there must be some

means found to discover the whereabouts of the enemy. Dom Pedro re-called the war of the rebellion in the United States, and the part that was played in balloon reconnaissances. He immediately sent to North America, inviting T. S. C. Lowe to come down and help the Brazilians.

But due to the fact that he had

been captured by the Confederates,

he was not able to be of much use.

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[Court Record.]  
**NEW TESTIMONY.****What Mr. Grant Saw and Heard.****Yesterday's Developments in the Young Case.****Charles Bush Brings Suit on Promissory Note.****Mrs. Louis Mesmer, nee Jennie Swan, the Alleged Maker of the Instrument—Claim of \$36,000 Against the Bradburys.**

Yesterday was a bad day for the defense in the Young murder trial, and last night, as the session of court in Department One was brought to a close, it seemed as if freedom, in the eyes of the public at least, was farther away than ever from the oily "mac," who is accused of having caused the death of Irene O'Brien in an Alameda-street "crib" one night during April last.

The reason for the prevalence of this impression was that the prosecution has supplied the lacking bit of evidence necessary to practically fix the crime definitely by corroborative proof.

The witness who gave the important testimony is Donald Grant.

During all the former trials of Young, the girl Lulu Dorman has furnished the strongest evidence against the "mac." She has told her story over and over again, and it has not varied in the slightest from that first related. In brief, she said that on the night the O'Brien woman was burned she heard a scream and ran to the rear door of her "crib" to see what was the matter. Young came out later, she said, from the back door. He seemed very much excited, and in his haste became entangled in a clothes-line stretched across the yard. When Lulu addressed him, he muttered an oath and exclaimed, "I'm not going to you," and then ran on out into the street. That was the last that Lulu Dorman saw of him at that time, and she was positive that she could have made no mistake about the man.

Young's slight dependence placed upon the word of women of that variety, it was natural that the Dorman girl's testimony should be discredited somewhat, in the absence of other affirmative statements. The corroborative evidence, however, has all been while been endeavoring, and Mr. Grant is the witness who appears at last to clear the point of possible doubt, inasmuch as he is able to fully corroborate the testimony of Lulu Dorman.

Grant is a respected citizen, who has hitherto abstained from telling what he knew through a desire to keep himself out of the unpleasantness attending the case. The fact that he could give very strong corroborative testimony, however, has caused him to be summoned into court on a subpoena for the people.

What he said was a surprise for the defense, and a cause for much exultation on the part of the prosecution.

The witness testified that on the night Irene O'Brien had called he had gone down on Alameda street on business, and, in the course of the evening, went into Jean Lenert's saloon. While in the rear of the place drawing some water he heard the scream and started out to see what was the matter. "I went around the door of the 'crib,'" he said, "and knocked at one of the rear entrances. The door was opened by a woman who, when I asked her what was the matter, told me to go away from there. (The door knocked at was Lulu Dorman's.) I was about to do so, when one of the other doors was suddenly thrown open, and a man rushed out. He called back to the woman from whose door I had just stepped, addressing her with much exultation and saying, 'Haven't you arrested me?'

Such was the substance of the testimony of Mr. Grant. A number of other witnesses were examined, but none had had much opportunity to testify in the case. It is thought that the people will rest their side this morning.

CLAIMS \$36,000.

Mrs. N. M. Millet in plaintiff in an action which has just been brought against Simona M. Bradbury as executrix, John Bradbury and J. D. Bicknell as executors of the estate of Lewis L. Bradbury, deceased, whereby it sought to recover \$36,000, claimed by the plaintiff as an open and unsettled account then existing between the plaintiff and deceased. The money, it was further claimed, was due for and on account of work, labor and personal service of a fiduciary, confidential and domestic character, done and rendered by plaintiff for the deceased at his special instance and request.

AN UNPAID NOTE.

Charles H. Bush has commenced suit against Louis Mesmer and Mrs. Jennie E. Mesmer to compel payment on a promissory note for \$500. The cause for action is based upon the alleged fact that on May 22, 1888, the defendant, Mrs. Mesmer, then being known as Jennie E. Swan, made her certain in favor of the plaintiff the amount indicated in favor of the plaintiff. The plaintiff being the holder of the note at the present time, and the sixteen months for which the same was given having expired long since, it was agreed that judgment be given with interest and costs, and judgment to be collected out of the common property and community estate of both Louis Mesmer and his wife Jennie E. Mesmer.

Court Notes.

A decree of foreclosure was yesterday granted M. E. Lee in a suit against A. Pitcher et al. by Judge McKinley, judgment being by default.

The divorce case of Mrs. T. T. Lamb vs. G. H. Lamb was partially heard yesterday afternoon in Department Six behind closed doors.

A verdict of defendant was rendered yesterday by the jury in the damage case of Ream vs. Osborne et al., the trial of which had been in progress for Judge McKinley for the past few days. To the defendant were also assessed the costs.

Thomas R. Dering, the official stenographer of Department Four, has returned from a vacation trip up in the Tulare Mountains, preparatory to resuming his work in court.

A complaint in the suit for divorce of H. L. Giles vs. A. B. Giles has been filed yesterday in the Probate Court. Judge McKinley, providing the following orders were made yesterday: Estate of F. D. O'Conor, deceased; petition to probate Estate of J. W. Merguer, deceased; letters of administration granted in Tilden, deceased; final account allowed, and disbursement ordered.

Judgment for plaintiff was ordered

yesterday by Judge McKinley in the case of Wade vs. Wade, a suit to quiet title.

New Suits.

Prismatic papers in the following new suits were filed with the County Clerk yesterday:

W. H. Holmes vs. George Carr; suit on promissory note for \$575.79.

Mrs. N. M. Millet vs. Simond M. Bradbury et al.; suit for \$36,000.

Albert Thomas vs. Germaine Pellecier; notice of motion to dismiss appeal.

Alice V. Slosson vs. L. Labonge; notice of motion to dismiss appeal.

Hartford Fire Insurance Company vs. George D. Melrigs; notice of appeal.

Estate of Lilia Gillan, a minor; petition of D. H. Gillan for appointment as guardian.

**AT THE SEASIDE.****Attractions at Santa Monica the Present Week.****Graduation of the First Keeley Class at the Soldiers' Home to Be Properly Celebrated—Redondo Notes and Personals.****SANTA MONICA.**

There seems to be plenty of attractions at Santa Monica the present week, and the tennis tournament at the Casino, there is something each night in the way of an entertainment at the opera house, and then there is the tennis ball, and old fashioned concert, and tennis ball, and this there have been numerous beach parties, hayrides, whilst parties and the little social events of like character, so that there is a great variety to select from, and are able to chase ennui away by these delightful little pastimes.

The first Keeley class has been graduated at the Soldiers' Home Institute, and on next Saturday afternoon there is to be a great celebration at the home in honor of this occasion. It is to be a literary and musical event. The dining-room will be utilized for the reception, which will be appropriately decorated, and a platform erected therein for the speakers and performers. The programme will consist of addresses by Dr. Trelach, Capt. A. B. Godden, of the home, and J. Marion Brooks of Los Angeles, and violin and piano duets, for the benefit of Miss June Reed, also a harpone solo and vocal music and selections by the home band. The grand ball will be entered into.

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# SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.



PASADENA.

All but a Very Few Want Colorado Street Paved.

Public Disapproval of the Protest—Sudden Death in the Mountains—People Coming and Going—Brevities.

With the exception of those of the property-owners who have protested against paving Colorado Street this summer, there is a general demand for carrying out this much-needed improvement before the rains set in. The protest itself, as presented to the Council Monday, was a surprise, for the impression prevailed, no matter what controversy might be entered into, regarding to Raymond and Fair Oaks avenues.

On the advice of his attorney, Hon. Olin Whelborn of Los Angeles, Peter Stell will appeal his case to the Superior Court.

Walter Watkins and George B. Post have returned from an enjoyable trip to Catalina and Long Beach.

Wesley Hanbury and P. P. Bonham returned on Tuesday from a week's yachting trip to Catalina.

Walter Watkins and George B. Post have returned from a pleasant fishing excursion up the San Gabriel River.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gates are coming back to Pasadena to live. The Times predicted this when they went away. Of course all their friends will be glad to see them.

In view of the recent accident in the big race at Athletic Park it is recommended that those who attend the sports this summer leave their horses with the First Line stables or the members of the H. B. to assemble at the Armory at 8:30 o'clock sharp this (Wednesday) morning to participate in the Love celebration.

The Dobbins residence on Garfield avenue, south of the Raymond Hotel, has been entered during the past few days and the alarm of the family. Marshal Buchanan was on Tuesday apprised of the occurrence, and went down to investigate. The amount of the loss is not yet ascertained.

## POMONA.

## A Commission Merchant Gives His Views—Notes and Personalities.

Pomona fruit-growers, like the growers of all other sections of the State, are pretty generally down on commission men. The press has urged them on, until things have got to such a pass that it is simply impossible to hear a word of it. The commission men, however, are the ones who have been slow in improving their property or catering to the necessities of their tenants—decry loudly against the necessity of the expense. Do they not know that unless some one offers to occupy their storerooms other quarters may be found to do business, where ladies and others may shop without wading through foul-smelling mud to do so? As an owner I raise my voice against such a one-sided policy. Let us stand by and help him. His side is an important one.

W. P. Webb, a large property-owner and well-known citizen, writes: "I have been much interested in the paving process and am greatly pleased to see the progress made by some of our best men opposing this much-needed improvement. Nature has done much for Pasadena. Private citizens have also done much individually, in the way of fine residences, beautiful grounds, etc. I am glad that Pasadena has not given up the struggle. Her artistic library and her system, she has done nothing.

A city famed the world over as an earthly paradise, a city of beautiful homes, a resort for the wealthy, a retreat for invalids, she stands alone. She is indeed a gem in the mountain rail-way to Father Throop who has given so much to the college which bears his name, and to dozens of other citizens who have come here and invested in beautiful homes and great property. The paving of the streets should be delayed at once. Let us consider some of the objections. First, these property-owners have said through their attorney, it would be difficult to describe the protest as being purely public disapproval of the paving, because it was carried on by the city.

It is to the men of Pomona that we have to say something. They have not yet done anything in the mountains. They are the ones who have invited the packers to work, but if there was any stealing going on it could not be discovered. We think we have been very injurious to the shippers. We work in harmony with the growers, and not against them. Somebody must buy our fruit, and we can't afford to do so. We pay every cent for the fruit that we can possibly afford to pay. When we get the price we are paid, but the price of the fruit is low, the fruit-growers have to charge it up to somebody, so we get the blame. As to the calling of the meeting, it was to the credit of Mr. Webb, who was invited to speak, that he did not consider it practicable. There would be enough growers outside the organization to call it off. The packers are the ones who have to pay the bill. The horticultural industry of Southern California is at stake, and its future is not to be depended upon.

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## SHELDON'S IDEAS.

## Address Delivered Before the Union League.

## The Ex-Governor's Views on the Money Question.

## He Believes in the Free and Unilimted Coinage of Silver.

## A Fair-sized Audience in Attendance, Who Listen to the Speaker With Much Interest for Over an Hour.

An address on the "Financial Situation" was delivered last night by ex-Gov. Lionel A. Sheldon at the Union League rooms on Second street. A fair-sized audience was in attendance, and listened with much interest to the speaker for considerably over an hour. Applause was frequent and most vigorous whenever the present Democratic good times or similar anomalies were referred to.

Judge Owens, president of the Union League, acted as chairman of the meeting, and in introducing Gov. Sheldon remarked that this was a time when Republicans of Los Angeles county, and, in fact, all over the United States, should be getting together to prepare for the struggle with the Democracy next year. This was the first of a series of meetings to be held by the Union League with that object in view.

Gov. Sheldon began by saying that he was not discussing this matter in a partisan spirit, although he was a Republican and loved the Republican party. Some persons may think it presumptuous in one who was not a financier to speak on the money question, for when our fiscal officers wanted to know anything about the subject they usually sought the advice of Wall street. The speaker said if he wanted to invest money with a view of making the best return, he would go to the banks, but in the present case the proper places to seek information were at the workshop, on the farm and among the common people generally. A "public opinion bath" was what our government officials and members of Congress needed, after which they would become better acquainted with the real wants of the country.

The calling of the extraordinary session was evidence that the financial condition of the country needs repair—President Cleveland so proclaimed in the call. Even in prosperous California it was claimed the wheat product, ready to be moved, had to lay idle, because the farmers cannot get the money to buy the sacks. In Chicago, today, the governors of all the states in the country cannot be moved because the banks cannot pay the money. Even in New York, the financial center of the United States, where 80 per cent of the revenues of the government are collected, \$37,000,000 of clearing house certificates have been issued. The simple trouble all over was the scarcity of money.

The speaker claimed that in the calculations usually made, the natural growth of the proposition has not been taken sufficiently into account. As the boy grows more cloth must be put in his coat, or, to quote a sporting friend, the more players enter a poker game the more chances there are for a win. The Treasury Department asserts that the circulation is \$24.40 per capita, and assumes to compare it with that of England, which is \$23 per capita, but in this connection it has forgotten that while Great Britain's foreign commerce is not much larger than ours, the domestic commerce of the United States is greater than that of a dozen Englands. In Germany the per capita circulation was \$34, and in brilliant France, one of the most prosperous countries on the face of the globe, the amount was \$35. But the speaker claimed that the United States had not over \$8 or \$9 per capita in circulation at the present time, and presented statistics to prove the assertion.

There are, however, other causes, Gov. Sheldon continued, for the "Democratic good times" which we had last fall. When it was declared that it was unconstitutional to protect our laboring men and the products of their skill, manufacturers began to lose confidence, and one by one have shut down and thrown their workmen out of employment. We began to import more heavily, so that instead of a balance of trade of \$102,000,000 in our favor for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1892, we had for the following year a balance against us of over \$50,000,000. And not only have we paid this balance in gold, but we have also been paying foreign nations to transport our products.

Another potent cause of the stringency is the construction put on the purchasing clause of the Sherman act. The statement is made that the Sherman act is not intended to prohibit the states from purchasing gold. The speaker states that \$4,500,000 ounces of silver shall be purchased monthly and shall be paid for in coin, and the government persists in its plan of only using gold in the purchase.

These are the things which have caused the disease, and for which there are several remedies. We are told to have confidence and faith, but how can we have either when every intelligent person knows there is not money enough in the country? Mr. Cleveland has suggested the repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman law. To remedy the evil of a protracted currency the President desires to cut off the only interest.

Gov. Sheldon then exhibited a \$20 gold coin and a silver dollar. He claimed that either was as much as money as a piece of paper with the government's stamp on it. At present the \$20 coin represented so many grains of gold which could be taken to the mint and stamped by law and the resultant coin was worth twenty times as much as the silver dollar. But while twenty silver dollars would bring as much as the gold coin exhibited, and were to all intents and purposes of equal value, yet the privilege of taking to the mint the bullion composing the twenty silver dollars was denied by law. If the free coinage of gold was not legally sanctioned the yellow metal, like its white brother, would simply be worth what it would bring in the arts and commerce. Gov. Sheldon, therefore, believes in the free coinage of both metals, and that was why he now advocated the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1.

As far as the ratio is concerned, once upon a time it was 4 to 1, then 7 to 1. And Great Britain maintained a ratio of 16 to 1. It had been 15 to 1 in Germany, and was now 15½ to 1 in France. The ratio is an arbitrary matter and must be governed by law, for it is based on the cost of production, a fluctuating medium must result.

Gov. Sheldon further said we should have a policy that would keep the balance of trade in our favor. We should carry our own products on the seas and

stop the payment of untold millions to foreign countries for carrying our products.

How to provide for our laboring men was also a problem that stared us in the face. Humanity, liberty and Christianity all call for the care and enlightenment of labor. To remedy these evils we should have a tariff providing that all the necessities not produced in this country should be entered free of duty. All articles capable of production in the United States should be made to pay a duty equal to the difference in labor here and abroad, and luxuries should be taxed to the highest limit.

Gov. Sheldon closed by eulogizing the Republican party, its past, present and prospective future. A vote of thanks was then proposed by several of the audience to the orator of the evening, and was passed unanimously.

R. A. Ling, Esq., then made a few closing remarks, after which three cheers were proposed and given, for the Republican party. The audience was then invited to partake of some of the famous Union League punch, and left for their homes highly pleased with the evening's entertainment.

## HAPPY SALVATIONISTS

## Grand Cosmopolitan Demonstration by the Army.

## A Street Parade and Services at the Spring Street Barracks—A Most Enthusiastic Gathering of Army Workers.

Religious fervor was at white heat at the Salvation Army barracks on Spring street last night. The local corps of the army had combined their forces for a grand cosmopolitan demonstration, in which representatives of various nationalities in fantastic costumes joined in street parade, and afterward held a rousing character meeting indoors. The parade, which formed at 7:30 o'clock and marched through several streets to music that stirred up the blood in lively fashion, was participated in by over a hundred from the local corps, including a uniformed band and a small army of followers. The characters represented were: Scotch, Spanish, Turkish, Greco-Indian, Hindoo, Norwegian, French, English (by John Bull), American (by Uncle Sam), Swiss, Irish, Russian, Persian, Italian and others. Many of the trappings were ludicrous and gaudy, some were handsome and embellished with silk and velvet, much tinsel and gold lace. The spectacle was further enlivened by flags of many nations, which floated proudly above their ardent bearers. The street parade lasted a half hour.

The object of the meeting, as stated by Staff Captain McIntyre, is the securing of the barracks services, to be served to secure funds to put some added comfort into the First street barracks, now occupied by Capt. Banks and wife. The sister corps, No. 2, holds its meetings in unpleasant quarters next to a livery stable on First street, and it has not even common necessities. The captain and his wife and two little children have a bed, a table, a few cups and saucers and plates, but they could move their entire household furniture in one small express wagon. There is not so much as a rocking-chair to rock the babies in. So Corps No. 1, serving a brotherly love for Corps No. 2, invited the corps to have a hard time in their faces, give a hard-time appearance to the store, and get exactly what they expect—no trade.

The progressive merchant arranges his counters more attractively, puts his windows, burns more gas, brushes up, everything, puts a new coat of paint on the outside, looks animated, diffuses his enthusiasm into every clerk, dresses more exquisitely, and gets the bulk of the business. The progressive merchant, as in camp, is equal to a steamer captain holding his men, who, when they see him, will be sure to keep his vessel moving as rapidly in storm as in calm, and sometimes more rapidly.

Most business men, as soon as they find that business is dull, refuse to look for the cause, and simply work themselves up into a frenzy of depression, cut expenses, won't buy a straw hat—we bought it for \$15—sold it at \$10—handsome hat—as good a man as any—Why—None of your business—you get the hat, we lose the rest.

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## CITY BRIEFS

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

## The Weather.

W. S. Weather Bureau, Los Angeles. Aug. 22.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.98; at 5 p.m. 29.84. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 55 deg. and 72 deg. Maximum temperature, 80 deg.; minimum temperature, 54 deg. Character of weather, partly cloudy. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Say, just for fun, go around to the New Golden Eagle Clothing House, corner Main and Bunker streets, and have Ed Webster show you three lines of suits, lot numbers 436, 526 and 364. You will be sure to purchase one.

Ladies and gentlemen, if you cannot go to the beach you cannot afford to be sick, just use Bellan's La Griffe Cure, or forms of La Griffe, 3028 Downey Avenue, East Los Angeles.

Hawley & Bresce, the Broadway undertakers, No. 557 South Broadway, corner of Sixth street, "Independent of the Trade."

Visiting cards and invitations engraved and delivered in a few hours at Kan-Koo, No. 10 South Spring street. Gasoline ranges at cost. Harper and Reynolds Company, 152 North Main.

Buy your trunks and traveling bags at the factory, 24 North Main street.

Spent your vacation on Wilson's Peak.

Address: C. G. Martin, Pasadena.

"The Unique" kid-glove house.

The Fire Commission will meet at the Mayor's office at 10 o'clock this morning.

Petitions are being circulated in Vernon, and are receiving a good many signatures, on behalf of the Main street line.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Herman Detjen, Miss Alice Lyon and A. N. Miller.

Contrary to expectations, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Meier did not return home yesterday. That is, they were not at the United States Hotel.

The fixtures and other incidentals of the late City Bank were sold at auction yesterday. The amount realized was in the neighborhood of \$400.

Burr Bassell of the City Engineer's office made a flying trip up San Antonio Canyon yesterday to make some water measurements to be reported on in a suit now pending in the Superior Court.

John King et al. have filed a petition asking that Sixth street between Pearl street and Fremont avenue be paved with bituminous lime rock and that a cement curb and sidewalk be placed on the north side.

The committee of the City Council appointed to investigate the affairs of the State Superintendent's office disposed of some of the papers of that office yesterday. It is expected that an expert will be employed today or tomorrow, who will proceed with the inspection of the books.

A communication from New Orleans has been received by Mayor Rowan asking as to the whereabouts of a man named Will H. H. Rogers. The man was born in Yedallia, La., and is about fifty years of age. He is also quite wealthy. Rogers left New Orleans for California about a week ago.

An accidental discharge of a revolver, which fortunately did no serious damage, occurred at about 7:30 o'clock last night in the office of Nolan & Smith, on Second street near Broadway. M. J. Nolan of that firm was handling the weapon when in some manner it went off. The bullet passed into the floor.

Clerk W. W. Robinson of the Mayor's office and City Engineer Thye are arranging for the placing of some wires in the City Council chamber, so as to improve its acoustic properties. It is thought that the stretching of a few wires in a horizontal direction some distance below the ceiling will be all that is necessary. The theory is that the wires will break the sound waves so as to render them inaudible.

Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday by the B. & C. Company with the County Clerk, the avowed purpose of the organization being to do a real stock-raising business, sell real estate, etc. The principal place of business will be in this city. W. H. Bailey, Albert M. Stephens, Allen Cameron and W. W. Stephens compose the board of directors, and \$30,000 of the \$20,000 capital stock has already been subscribed.

PERSONALS.

Ames Burr and H. Meyersohn of San Francisco are at the Nadeau.

Judge Thomas H. Wells of the Tehachapi Bar was in the city yesterday.

Arthur G. Van Gorder has left for the North to resume his studies at the State University.

Hugo Thost of Berlin and Friedrich Ebert of Leibnitz, Germany, are at the Hollenbeck.

F. Moss, who has been spending several months in Chicago, will return about September 1.

Mrs. M. Brown of East Los Angeles returned home yesterday from a month's visit at Atheneum.

Supervisor Kennedy of San Francisco was at the City Hall yesterday, inspecting among other things the plans for the outfall sewer.

H. W. Frank returned from New York yesterday morning, where he has been for the past two months selecting fall goods for his firm. Mr. Frank also visited Chicago and the World's Fair, and reports having met a number of Americans, all of whom are enjoying themselves immensely, in spite of the heat.

Will Enter a Protest.

A delegation of San Pedro people will appear before the Board of Supervisors today and speak against the granting of a saloon license to "Nigger" Brown. It will be remembered that this Brown is the man regarding whom a somewhat similar account appeared in Monday's Times.

ANOTHER STRIKE.

Tailors on a Strike for Want of Shorter Hours.

A strike was declared today among the help of Gordon Bros. tailors. Their grievances were that since the ten-days' reduction sale at the factory on Spring street, the help in their workshop had to work every night up to 10 o'clock, in order to meet the demand of the public in proportion to their wages per hour. The union demanded double pay. Gordon Bros. have at present agreed to their help's wishes on account of the immense orders on hand, as they have to keep up their ten-days' sale. Orders will be filled as heretofore.

The W. C. Furry Company.

In all kinds of plumbing work at reasonable prices. Be sure and call upon them before going elsewhere. All work warranted.

MOTHERS, be sure and always use Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for your children while teething. It is the best of all.

## RACKET EXPERTS.

Second Day of the Tennis Tournament.

Result of the Closing Contest in the Semi-finals.

M. A. Chase to Play Carter for the Challenge Cup.

Opening Rounds of the All-comers' Doubles—The Ladies' Doubles Hotly Contested—The Programme Today

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

## Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

### ALMOST DROWNED.

An "Exciting" Incident in a Long Beach Bathhouse.

Monday, August 21, was a quiet, restful day at Long Beach, until about 4 p.m., when a cry went up from the middle bathhouse—"Dr. Wood-battery and restoratives—a man drowned!"

The driver of the Long Beach bus wheeled his fleet steeds from Ocean avenue to the drug store, got the doctor and dashed down the bank to the bathhouse.

Enter Mr. Gilbish, who found the man that had fallen with a cramp in shallow water, had carried him ashore.

All was confusion, and everybody wanted to help restore the half drowned youth.

A robust young fellow, in with a hand towel, showed back the stupid quirked witted woman acts.

He had hardly turned his back, when Hamilton acquired possession of the "grip," and, proceeding to the back room of a saloon, discarded his own well-worn garments for Peterson's more pretentious outfit.

Boldly walking out into the street with the stolen clothes upon his back he was espied by the officers, who, having been advised of Peterson's loss, recognized his property in Hamilton's possession.

Hamilton was forthwith arrested, and being taken before Justice Twichell he plead guilty to the charge of petty larceny and was sentenced to the County Jail for six months.

This will put a quietus on the fellow's thieving propensities till about the time the robes rest again.

An Interesting Recital.

L. W. Simmons, the ex-scout and spy, spoke to a good audience in the Congregational Church in East Los Angeles last night.

Mr. Simmons gave his famous recital, "The Scout and Spy," which was well received. It began with his enlistment in 1861, and described briefly his service in the first call for troops, which culminated in his being made a private at Lexington, Mo., with Mulligan's Brigade.

Then followed his enlistment in the Eleventh Illinois Cavalry, trip down the river, the battle of Shiloh, scouting in Tennessee, the march of Zachary Brenton, began the description of one of the most hazardous enterprises of the civil war, which resulted in saving a detachment of the army consisting of 1500 men.

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Raising the High School Standard.

Members of the Finance Committee of the Board of Education state that if the Council does not allow the full estimate of the funds required for school purposes for the coming year it will be necessary for the board to borrow more money from the Council to meet the year to come. They state that it has been necessary to raise the standard of and enlarge the High-school faculty, for the reason that word has been received from the State University to the effect that this must be done in order to admit High-school graduates directly into that institution.

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